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SHIPPING	NOTICES OF FIRMS.	TO BE LET. FURNISHED ROOMS, with use	AUCTIONS. PUBLIC AUCTION.	INTIMATIONS. TANE, CRAWFORD & CO.	INTIMATIONS. NOTICE.	INTIMATIONS. ** FOR AMOY, TAIWANFOO, AND
- ・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・・	MR. JAMES LYON PLAYFAIR SAN- DERSON has been authorized to SIGN	BOARD. with a private family. Address F., care of Daily Press Office.	THE Undersigned will Sell by Public Auction, TO MORROW,	LETT'S DIARIES. ARNOULD ON MARINE INSURANCE.	A LL CLAIMS against the late Mr. LING LOOK (F. Guder) must be sent in to the Undersigned not later than the 15th of May,	TAMSUI. THE Steamship "TATWAN."
—Russell & Co. April 30, Vigilant, British paddle despatch- boat, LieutCommander Annesley, from trial trip.	our Fiem per procuration at Foodhow. BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong, 6th April, 1878. NOTICE.	Hongkong, 2nd April, 1878. TO LET. FIRST-CLASS-GRANITE GODOWN on the Praya, Wanchi.	the 2nd May, 1878, at Noon, at his Sales Rooms, Queen's Road,—		A.c., or they will not be recognized. RICH. SCHONBERGER, Executor for the late Mr. Ling Look.	Captain Young, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 2nd instant, at Noon.
April 30, Chien-rul; Chinese gb., Walker, from a cruise.	THE Undersigned have been appointed by Messrs Pidov, Wilks, and Daurenor, Limited, Gunpowder Manufacturers, of Dart-	Apply to OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, 1st March, 1877. [td10	CONFECTIONERY, SILK and ALPACCA UMBRELLAS, MATCHES, GLASSWARE, CROCKERY WARE, LEATHER CLOTH,	Horking' PORT OF REFUGE. ENGLISH SYNONYMS. Roget's THESAURUS.	Hongkong, 30th April, 1878. [3d730] THE GREAT NORTHERN TELE- GRAPH COMPANY.	For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hengkong, 1st May, 1878. [732] NOTICE.
	ford and Battle, their SOLE AGENTS in Honoroug and CHINA. MEYER & Co.	TO LET. AIRLEA, WEST POINT, from 1st April. FLETCHERS BUILDINGS, either as entire Houses, or in Flats, or Apartments.	TERMS OF SALE Ussh before delivery in	ANDERSON'S MERCANTILE LETTERS: OLIENDORFF'S FRENCH METHOD: OLIENDORFF'S GERMAN METHOD. OLIENDORFF'S SPANISH METHOD.	NOTICE. The Public is informed that the Imperial Japanese Government has decided to adopt a	TAR. WILLIAM HENRY HARTON, JR. V.L. is This Day admitted a PARTNER in our Firm.
CHERS & Co. ULEARANCES.	Hongkong, 6th February, 1878. [230] NOTICE. NOTICE. Notice of the second	GODOWNS, STABLING, and STORAGE, of every description. Apply to	Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots, with all faults and errors of description, at Pur-	OLLENDORFF'S ITALIAN METHOD.	Word Tariff for International Telegrams on all their lines on and after the 1st day of Max NEXT, and the rate is fixed at TWENTY CENTS	GILMAN & Co. Hongkong and Foochow, 1st May, 1878. [1m733 NOTICE OF REMOVAL.
AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE, APRIL SOTH. Julie, French back, for Quinhou, Eneria, German steamer, for Chinkiang.	let of April, 1878. WILLIAMS & Co. Swetow, March 27th, 1878. [3m533]	SHARP, TOLLER, AND JOHNSON, Solicitors. Supreme Court House, Hongkong, 26th February, 1878. [36	Hongkong, 1st May, 1873. Auctioneer. [735	UNIVERSAL INDEX OF BIOGRAPHY. POLE'S THEORY OF WHIST. THE CORRECT CARD.	of a Merican Dollar Per Word from NAGA- SARI to ALL STATIONS in the Empire. CARL NIELSEN. Superintendent.	THE Undersigned begs to inform his numerous Customers and the Public of Hougkong that his STORE is REMOVED from
Marion, British steamer, for Singapore, &c. Panay, Spanish steamer, for Manila. Kwangtung, British steamer, for East Coast.	NOTIFICATION. L bog to notify that I have RESUMED BUSINESS at Tamsui and Kelung in	TO LET. O. 3. WEST-TERRACE. Possession on the 1st of March.		BEETON'S HOUSEHOLD MANAGEMENT. BEETON'S EVERYDAY COOKERY. ENGLISH DICTIONARIES. FRENCH DICTIONARIES.	Hongkong, 26th April, 1878. [Iw715]	No. 2, Lyndhurst Terrace, to the newly- erected Buildings, 29, COCHRANE-STREET. KHAMISA JOOMA.
DEPARTURES. April 29, Yorrung, British steamer, for	North Formost, under the style or firm of "Dodd & Co." JOHN DODD	Hongkong, 1st February, 1878. [427	AND NOW OFFER FOR SALE, A FRESH AND SELECT ASSORTMENT	GERMAN DICTIONARIES. SPANISH DICTIONARIES. ITALIAN DICTIONARIES. ENQUIRE WITHIN UPON EVERY-	CHINA SEA. RIVER MIN—FOOCHOW DISTRICT.	Hongkong, 1st May, 1878. [1w734] NOTICE OF REMOVAL. WHE Undersigned has the pleasure to inform
Canton. April 29, China, German str., for Shanghai.		DENCE in Macao, well situated. Possession on the 1st May, 1878. Also a HOUSE on the Praya Grande, No. 27. Possession on	of superior	THING. ALL ABOUT HARD WORDS. CHINESE COMMERCIAL GUIDE.	The following dangers have recently been examined by H.M.'s Surveying Vessel "NAS-	his numerous Customers and the Public of Hongkong that his PHOTOGRAPHIC Es- TABLISHMENT is REMOVED to the newly-
April 29, Alkar, Diff. Str., for Swards, der. April 30, Rosa Boettcher, Ger. bark, for Shanghai. April 30, Java, Dutch steamer, for Saigon. April 30, Vigilant, British gauboat, for	Swatow, 17th April, 1878. [1m685	Ist June. For Particulars apply to A. DA SILVA TELLES, Macao Hotel, No. 15, Praya Grande.	including—	GILES' CHINESE SKETCHES. SOCIAL LIFE OF THE CHINESE. EITEL'S NEW CHINESE DICTIONARY. EITEL'S BUDDHISM.	of Survey:— 1.—"BENJAMIN AYMAR" ROCK." This Rock, on which the American barque	erected Building, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, next to Messrs. SANDER & Co.'s. AFONG, Photographer. Hongkong, 30th April, 1878. [1m731]
a trial trip. April 30, Marion, Brit. str., for Singapore. April 30, Standard, Brit. str., for Shanghai.	NOTICE. THE INTEREST and Responsibility of Mr. EDWARD CUNNINGHAM in our Firm in Hongkong and China CEASED on the	Macao, 5th April, 1878. [587] TO LET. TO LET. TO JUPPER MOSQUE TERRACE.	J. I. MORTON'S STORES.	EITEL'S FUNG SHUI. BALFOUR'S WAIFS AND STRAYS. EDRINS' RELIGION IN CHINA. CHALMERS' CHINESE DICTIONARY.	"BENJAMIN AYMAR" struck in January, 1878, consists of a small Rocky Parch with 3 feet of water on its shoalest part at L. W. Springs. A depth of from 9 to 10 fathous was obtained in	VANTED, by the Advertiser, who holds very high Testimonials as a GENERAL CLERK and ACCOUNTANT, and has had charge
PASSENGERS.	31st December last. RUSSELL & Co. China, March 8th, 1878. [6m439]	L Gas and Water laid on. T. G. LINSTEAD. Hongkong, 1st April, 1878. [553]	CUTTING'S SAN FRANCISCO STORES. NOWSON'S INDIAN CONDIMENTS. HUNTLEY AND PALMER'S READING BIS:	TRANSLATION "PEKING GAZETTE." MAYERS' TREATIES. MAYER'S CHINESE GOVERNMENT.	every direction at a distance of 1½ cables from it, the bottom being mud. Changohi Peak bears N. 68° E. from the Rock.	of an extensive Correspondence for some years, an ENGAGEMENT in any Clerical Capacity, in the Colony or elsewhere. Moderate Salary. Address "Clerk," Daily Press Office.
Per Mactan, str., from Manils:— 1 Cabin. Per Tartar, from Quinhon:— 3 Chinese.	NOTICE. R. JOHN GRATTON CASS is admitted a PARTNER in our Firm from this	TO LET. THE EASTERN HOUSE at the ALDANY, at present in the occupation of Mr. Breeton. Possession can be had on 1st May.	CUITS.	THATES CAUCATIA CARDO OF CO.,	Middle Dog Lighthouse bears S. 37° E. from the Rock. Sea Dog Summit bears S. 59° E. from the Rock. Sea Cat. Summit bears S. 71° E. from the Rock.	Hongkong, 29th April, 1878. [1w720] ANTED, EMPLOYMENT as CLERK, BOOK-KEEPER, or GODOWN-KEEPER.
DEPARTED. Per Marion, str., for Singapore, &c .— Captain Peacock and 303 Chinese. TO DEPART.	Amoy, 1st April, 1878 ELLES & Co. [556	Hongkong, 1st April, 1878. [554] TO LET TO LET REPORT OF THE PROPERTY OF THE P	FINEST CHICAGO HAMS AND BACON. FINEST WILTSHIRE BACON.	BOOKSELLERS AND PUBLISHERS. Hongkong, 13th April, 1878. [635] LOR SALE, ex Steamship "China,"	CLEARING MARKS.—The Southern extreme of Changchi Island in line with the Northern extreme of Matson Island leads clear to the	Advertiser has had many years' experience in the Colony. Address H. T., care of Daily Press Office. Hongkong, 23rd April, 1878.
Per Julia, for Quinhen	TONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. PAID-UP CAPITAL 5,000,000 of Dollars.	Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.	ENGLISH AND AMERICAN CHEESE. CALIFORNIAN AND DANISH BUTTER. LIBBY, MCNEIL, and LIBBY'S COMPRESSED	Halfand Whole Barrels, Swiss CHEESE, Cali-	2.—"NORMAN COURT" ROCK.	SUPERIOR WHITE CRYSTALS, manufactured by the ORIENTAL SUGAR REPINERY, can now be had in Tins of 10 or 14 lbs.
20 Chinese. Per Kwangtung, str., for East Coast:— 3 Europeans and 150 Chinese.	RESERVE FUND 1,000,000 of Dollars, Court of Directors:—	Hongkong, 1st February, 1878. 11 TO LET: THREE OFFICES in CLUB CHAMBERS.	TONGUES AND CORNED BEEF. BROUGHAM'S LUNCHTONGUES AND PIGS'	J. F. SCHEFFER, 54, Praya Central. Hongkong, 17th April, 1878. [657] FOR SALE.	in a North and South direction and distant 12 cables from each other. The SOUTHERN One is distant 42 cables from Flat Rock, and has 9	
REPORTS. The Spanish steamship Mactan reports left Manila on 27th April, and had fine weather throughout.	11. D. Dalfympie, Esq. Yuneim memers, Esq.	DWELLING HOUSE, No. 6, Mosque Terrace; Possession from 15th April next. Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.	GOLDEN GATE FLOUR. CORN MEAL, HOMINY, CRACKED	A feet 6 inches beam. Very fast, with small consumption. For further particulars, Address K.Z., care of Daily Press Office.	feet of water over it at L. W. Springs with deep water close around, but a rocky ledge with 6 fathoms over it extends 12 cables to the S.E. by	DENTAL NOTICE. R. ROGERS begs to intimate to his
The German brig Tartar reports left Quinhon on 18th April. The first part of the passage light winds from the S.E. and calms to the North	H. Hoppins, Esq. W. S. Young, Esq. Hon. W. Keswick. CHIEF MANAGER. Hongkong—Thomas Jackson, Esq., "	TNTERNATIONAL HOTEL	WHEAT, AND BUCKWHEAT FLOUR. CODFISH TONGUES AND SOUNDS.	HOR SALE, LARGE TAKASIMA COAL, At \$8 Por Ton, ex Godown.	over it at L. W. Springs. There is also a ROCKY PATCH, with 2½ fathoms over it, to the S.S.E. ‡ E. of Flat Rock, and distant from it	HAI, and will be absent from Hongkong from April 1st to June 15th. Hongkong, 4th March, 1878. [19
of the Paracels, thence to port light N. and N.E. winds and calms. MANILA SHIPPING.	Manager. Shanghai—Ewen Cameron, Esq. London Bankees—London & County Bank,	This Hotel, pleasantly situated on the Bund commands an extensive view of the harbour, and			23 cables. Flat Rock Summit bears N. 7° 10° W, from the S. Pinnacle. Changchi Peak bears N. 16° E, from the S. Pin-	TUITION IN GERMAN. ADIES and Gentlemen wishing instruction in the GERMAN LANGUAGE may
April— 6. N. Constante, Span. bk., from Hongkong. 6. Portia, British ship, from S. Francisco.	Hongkong—Interest Allowed. On Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of 1 per cent, per Annum on the daily balance. On Fixed Deposits:—	having been entirely REFITTED, offers every comfort for the Travelling Public. W. H. HENRIQUES & Co., 6m435	Hongkong, 22nd April, 1878. [682]	FOR SALE TAKASIMA COALS, ex GODOWN. Apply to		Hongkong, 3rd April, 1878. [1m573
9, Paragua, Spanish str., from Singapore. 9, Esmeralda, British str., from Amoy, &c. 11, Emuy, Spanish steamer, from Amoy, &c. 11, Spirit of the Age, Brit. bk., from Sydney.	For 3 months 2 per cent. per annum. For 6 months 4 per cent. per annum. For 12 months 5 per cent. per annum.	HESTAGHOTEL QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, HONGKONG, Under New Management, this Establishment will	ESTABLISHED 1865.	FOOK MOW LOONG & Co., 48, Bonham Strand, Praya West. Hongkong, 10th April, 1878; [1m616]	Pinnacle. 3.— PILOT ROCK." This danger (described at Page 276 of the	MRS. WALKER, intends opening a DAY SCHOOL at No. 2, Mosque Terrace, on
11, Pandur, German bark, from Hamburg. 13. Spinaway, British bark, from Hongkong. April	LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. CREDITS granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.	now be conducted as a First-class Hotel. Tiffin at ONE p-clock. Dinner at SEVEN. Wines and Spirits of the Best Quality only. New English and American Billiard Tables.	WM. CRUICKSHANK, DISPENSING CHIMIST & DRUGGIST, IMPORTER of DRUGGISTS' SUNDRIES,	DEST QUALITY CAROLFE STEAM, COAL for Sale, ex (lodown: Apply to	miles from the Sen Cat, and consists of a PIN- NACLE of small extent on which the sea breaks	The course of Studies will comprise the Ordinary Branches of an English Education, with the addition of Plain and Fancy Needlework
9. Mactan, Spanish steamer, for Hongkong. 9. Kaiser, German ship, for New York. 10. Aurrera, Spanish steamer, for Liverpool.	DRAFTS granted on Dandon, and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan. T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.	T COOK PROPERTOR	PATENT MEDICINES, and TOILET REQUISITES, MANUFACTURER OF ALL KINDS OF	Hongkong, 1st December, 1877. [53	at L. W. Springs, there then being about I foot of water over it. Changchi Peak bears N. 17° W. from the Rock. See Cut Summit bears S. 87° W. from the Rock.	for Girls. Mrs. Walker holds a First-class English Government Certificate, and has occupied the position of Head Teacher of Pilrig School,
11. San Lorenzo, Spanish brig, for Hongkong. 11. India, German bark, for Liverpool. 13. Esmeralda, British str., for Hongkong. 16. Cherwell, British ship, for San Francisco.	Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East, Hongkong, 27th February, 1878.	AVING been appointed Agent in Hong hong and South China for the Japan Gazette. "Japan Gazette Summary." and	PHYSICIANS' PRESCRIPTIONS CAREFULLY	COMPANY, LIMITED. This Refinery Manufactures—	Sea Dog Summit bears S. 63° 15' W. from the Rock. This notice affects Admiralty Charts Nos.	TERMS will be arranged either for Boarders
16, Emny, Spanish steamer, for Hongkong. 16, Bonanza, American ship, for S. Francisco. SINGAPORE SHIPPING.	CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUS- TRALIA AND CHINA.	"Hong List," Orders for Subscriptions and Advertisements for that Paper will be received at this Office.		LOAF SUGAR (in 5, 10, and 15 lbs. Loaves). CUT and POWDERED LOAF SUGAR. CUBE SUGAR (LYLE'S PATENT) shortly. CRYSTALIZED SUGAR, mark C.S.R. in diamond	1,262, 1,761, and 2,400. All Bearings are Magnetic. Variation in 1873 1° West. By Order of the Inspector General of Cus-	Hongkong, 5th April, 1878. [596] RIENTAL HOTEL.
April 18, Sestos, British steamer, from Bombay. 18, Kirkland, British bark, from Macassar. 19, Bentan, British steamer, from Samarang.	RESERVE FUND. £110,000. Bankers. THE BANK OF ENGLAND.	Hongkong Daily Press Office. Hongkong, 23rd May, 1877. [809] IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.	SHIP AND FAMILY MEDICINE CHESTS supplied and refitted.	A1111*. FINE WHITE SUGAR, mark C.S.R. in diamond A111*. MEDIUM WHITE SUGAR, mark C.S.R. in dia-	DAVID M. HENDERSON,	STOCKHAUSEN AND ROSE, PROPRIETORS. TIFFIN at ONE. DINNER at Seven.
19. Rosa, British steamer, from Sourabaya. 19. Moray, British steamer, from Hongkong. 19. A. Apear, British str., from Hongkong.	14、14、4、4、4、4、4、5、4、5、4、4、4、4、4、4、4、4、4、	THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policic against Fire to the extent of \$60,000 on any		mond All*. Fine Yellow Sugar, mark C.S.R. in diamond All.	Engineer's Office, Shanghai, 16th April, 1878. [8d722]	Wines, Spirits, &c., of the Best Quality only, English, French, and Gorman Spoken. BILLIARD ROOMS—BOWLINGALLEYS— NOTICE
19, Carisbrooke, British steamer, from Amoy. 19, Pentianak, British str., from Pontianak. 19, Royalist, Sarawak steamer, from Sarawak. 19, Caldera, British steamer, from Swatow.	places in Europe and the Chief Commercial places in Europe and the East; buys and receives for collection Bills of Exchange; and	one FIRST-CLASS RISK, at Current Rates.	FOR SALE. OUBLE-BARREL GUNS, CENTRAL and PIN-FIBE, with Cartridges, Cartridge	Rum. 45 deg., 30 deg., O.P., and NAVAL.		OFFICE OF THE SHANGHAI STEAM_ NAVIGATION COMPANY.
19. Princes Amalia, Dutch bk., from Acheen. April— DEPARTURES. 18. Geelong, British steamer, for Bombay. 18. Ruby, British steamer, for Palembang.	Local Bills discounted, and interest allowed on Current Accounts and on Deposits for fixed	will be made on the premium charged on all Insurances, such RETURN being payable on the issue of the Policy.	Cases, Wadding, Shot, &c. Also RIFLES and REVOLVERS. Apply to J. F. SCHEFFER, 54, Praya Central.	ANIMAL CHARCOAL and DUST. AMMONIACAL LIQUOR, from Bones. Bone Tar (A Preventive of White Ants). ROUGH BONE TALLOW.	A SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Office of Messrs, Russell & Co., on TUESDAY, the	
18. Japan. British steamer, for Malacca. 18. Glenearn, British steamer, for Hongkong. 18. Riga, British steamer, for Karical.	periods on terms which may be ascertained on application: [1813] TOHN SKINKER, 115, PINE STREET,	GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company Hongkong, 1st March, 1874. [2]	Hongkong, 18th September, 1877. [40 EX P. & O. STEAMER "GEELONG."	PACKED in QUANTITIES and PACKAGES to suit Customers.	7th May, at Two o'clock P.M. Business—To receive the Accounts of the Association for the Fiscal Year ending September 30th, 1877.	Rate of THREE TABLE per Share, will be made to Shareholders of Record on the 1st April, pay- able at the Office of the Liquidators on MON- DAY, the 8th April.
18. Sestos. British steamer, for Hongkong. 18. Sarpedon, British steamer, for Hongkong. 18. Ada. British steamer, for Penang. 18. Saga, Swedish bark, for Saigon.	San Francisco, California, Sole Agent on the Pacific Coast for WINCHESTEE REPEATING ARMS Co's	NOTICE. THE Undersigned has been appointed AGENT at THIS PORT for THE POSI		Particulars and Prices on application to THE MANAGER, China Sugar Refining Company, Limited,	The TRANSFER BOOKS will be CLOSED from the 3rd to the 7th May inclusive. By Order of the Directors. RUSSELL & Co.,	WARRANTS will then be delivered by the Undersigned to Shareholders or their lawful Representatives, on presentation of Share Certificates for endorsement.
FROM PORTS IN CHINA, JAPAN, AND MANHA. (Per last Mail's Advice.)	Repeating Rifles Carbines, and Muskets, Model 1866 and 1873; Plain Mounted, or Gold, Silver, or Nickel-Plated, and Beautifully Engraved.	TIVE GOVERNMENT SECURITY LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED). W. H. NOTLEY. Hongkong. 6th June. 1877.	OLD PARTICULAR, In Quarter-Casks (equal to about 12 dozen). \$50. In Octaves (equal to about 6 dozen)	Hongkong, 1st March, 1878. [6m419] FOR SALE.	Secretaries.	The TRANSFER POOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 1st to the 8th April inclusive.
Menelaus (s.) A	of all sizes and kinds for Pistols or Rifles of their make: [6m125	PHŒNIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY INROM this date, until further notice, a dis	GEO. SMITH & Co.,	A FEW COPIES of the following PUB- LICATIONS at the Daily Press Office: An Eastern Love Story.'	THE OR ON WITH ALL MORNING THE THE	By Order, RUSSELL & Co., Liquidators. Shànghai, March 30th, 1878. [588
City of Aberdeen Shanghai Mar. 2 Woodville Hongkong Mar. 3 Meteor Hongkong Mar. 4 Grassmore Hongkong Mar. 4	C. L. THEVENIN. WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANT, AND IMPORTER OF	Current Local Rates of Premia will be allowed upon Insurances effected with this Company. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.	d 458] NORTON & Co., Agents. FOR SALE	K U S A J A T A K A Y A, A BUDDHISTIC LEGEND. By THOMAS STEELS.	NEW SHARE CERTIFICATES, in exchange for the existing ones, will be ISSUED to Shareholders of record on the 15th May next. It is requested that Shareholders will send in	STEAMSHIP "SESTOS," FROM SIN-
Henry S. Sandford Hongkong Mar. 4 Rainbow Manila Mar. 4 Cremona Yokobama Mar. 4 Osaka Amoy Mar. 4	PRENCIGO ODS. Depot for Vicht Waters and Special Agent	Agents. Hongkong, 27th June, 1872. [2 PHŒNIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY		THE WHEEL OF THE LAW. BUDDHISM, ILLUSTRATED FROM SLAMERE SOURCES.	their present Certificates as soon as possible after that date, and that those who have not yet Signed the Deed of Settlement will do so with-	CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above Stea- mer are requested to send in their Bills of
William Cobb Hongkong Mar 4 Santon Shanghai Mar 7 Fugitive Amoy Mar 9 Era Manila Mar 9	for Pinaud's Presuntes and Antoine's Inks, Gentlemen's Best French Boots and Shoes. 44. QUEEN'S ROAD, HONGKONG.	THE Undersigned having been appointed. Agents to the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against	d "VIN DES PRINCES." \$18per case of 1 dozen quarts.	By Heney Alabaster. A CATENA OF BUDDHIST SCRIPTURES FROM THE CHINESE.	out delay. By Order of the Directors. RUSSELL & Co., Secretaries.	Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding her discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consigness risk and ex-
Patroclus (s.)	A H Y O N SHIPS COMPRADORE AND	Fire to the extent of \$40,000, on Buildings of Goods stored therein. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, 9th November, 1868.		By Samuel Beal. FOR SALE.	Shanghai, 20th April, 1878. [698] NOTICE.	Consignees of Cotton by the above Steamer ex Steamship Border Chieftain from Kurrachee,
VESSELS EXPECTED AT HONGHONG. (Corrected to Date). Regulus Cardiff Aug. 14 Tiger Naples July 17	STEVEDORE No. 57, PRAYA WEST. SHIPPING SUPPLIED WITH ALL KINDS OF COAT WATER BATLEST FRESH	TRANSATLANTIC FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG.	\$7 per case of 1 dozen quarts. LORMONT. \$5 per case of 1 dozen quarts.	CLARETS, st \$12, \$10, \$7, \$6, \$55, and \$45 PER CASE OF 1 DOZEN QUARTS.	DATE TWOSE OFFICE.	are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed by the Undersigned into their Godowns at Wanchai, whence, or from the Wharf or Boats, delivery can be obtained on or after the
Oscar Hamburg Oct 23 Anna Bertha Hamburg Oct 23 Benedicta San FranciscoOct 25 Lodore London Nov 1	COAL, WATER BALLAST, FRESH PROVISIONS and OILMAN'S STORES, Of the Best Quality and at the Shortest Notice.	Agents for the above Company, are prepared to accept. Risks against Fire at Curren Rates, subject to a Bonus of 20 per cent.	Hongkong, 1st May, 1876. [12	SHERRIES, st \$101, 39, \$81, and \$81 PEB Case of 1 Dozen Quarts. CHAMPAGNE, at \$13 PER Case of 2 Dozen Pints.	Bookbinding in every Style by Competent Workmen on the Premises. Music bound in Elegant Bindings.	29th instant. No Fire Insurance is effected. DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Agents.
Johann Smidt	Hongkong, January 1st, 1878. [82] A CHEENAND COMPANY.	SIEMSSEN & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 16th November, 1872	HOUSE AND ESTATE AGENT, RENTS COLLECTED. BROWN, JONES & CO.,	CHAMPAGNE, at \$12 PER CASE OF 1 DOZEN QUARTS. HOCK, at \$8½ PER CASE OF 1 DOZEN QUARTS.	Commercial Binding of every Size and Description, and Account Books ruled to any	Hongkong, 27th April, 1878. [718] FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE.
Sir Harry Parkes London Dec. 18 Solan Cardiff Dec. 19 R. B. Fuller Bombay Dec. 27	电极电路 化乳酸异丙基酚 网络黑色 法特别的第三人称形式 医二甲基甲基甲基甲基甲基甲基甲基甲基甲基甲基甲基甲基甲基甲基甲基甲基甲基甲基甲基	CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED). NOTICE	UNDERTAKERS, MOURNING STATIONERY, &c., MONUMENTS ERECTED, 79] 8. HOLLYWOOD BOOD.	BRANDIES, * ** *** and **** at \$6‡, \$7½, \$9, and \$10½ PEE CASE OF 1 DOZEN QUARTS. WACHTER'S CHAMPAGNE, AS SUPPLIED TO H.R.H. THE PRINCE OF	QUALITY OF MATERIALS AND WORKMANSHIP GUARANTEED.	having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are heroby informed that their Goods
Korko Penarth Jan 8 Hykton Castle Glasgow Jan 17 Belle of Oregon Liverpool Jan 22 Earl of Devon Antwerp Jan 27	HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, Incommondery, Cutlery, Glassware, Plated Ware, Ceccerryware, Carpets,	DOLICIES granted at current rates on Marine Risks to all parts of the World. It accordance with the Company's Articles of As	PIANOFORTE TUNING.	WALES, \$18 PER DOZEN QUARTS. Detailed Price Lists on application to	"DAILY PRESS" OFFICE, HONGKONG: (HINA NAVIGATION COMPANY.	are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence we from the Wharves or Boats delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded to Shang-
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HONGKONG, MAY 1st, 1878.

THE statement made by His Excellency the GOVERNOR on Monday at the Legislative Value Council, regarding the teaching of English Value in the Central School, is, on the face of it, as the Hon. F. B. Johnson said at the time, "most astounding." It is unfortunate that Mr. STEWART is not here to fully explain the the extent of the damage done by the late dis- afformey appear for a client in all criminal proceedings words—"cannot be said to speak English at astrous tornado at Canton have presented their before the Supreme Court, and in all civil proceedings all." We do not believe that, when penning of houses completely destroyed was, 2,312, and this description, Mr. Stewart deliberately the number of those more or less injured, 1,081. intended to confess that, after so many years Of streets 115 suffered. The number of boats arduous educational labour, of the pupils of the Central School three hundred and sixtysix have absolutely no knowledge of English. The phrase " cannot be said to speak English estimate of the number of persons injured. at all" is most unhappy; it is, to use an expression of Mr. Stewart's, a term of variable meaning. Had he intended to say the boys | Mr. Creagh, and a jury composed of Messrs. G spoke no English it would have been more It also includes a mass of useful information in accordance with common sense to say so shop coolie at the Tung Fat China shop, said in addition to that usually found in works of the in plain language, -leaving out the vague that on the 28th instant he went to the Fung "cannot be said." The modesty of Mr. STEWART is proverbial in Hongkong, and lying upon the floor in the shop and upparently we read his term "cannot be said to speak very ill. Witness assisted in placing the deceased English at all" in the following light. He Wah Hospital. Upon arrival there, the deceased did not mean to imply that the three hundred and sixty-six pupils did not understand any English, but only to say that, strictly speaking, they could not converse intelli- that of a well nourished Chinese male. There

gently in that language. That this must be to is evident from a passage in Mr. Stewart's and had caused death.—A verdict of death from letter to the Colonial Secretary, dated the 12th | natural causes was returned. Chromo-lithograph Plate of the NEW February last, in which he says, referring to the Governor's speech at St. Joseph's College:—"His Excellency is reported to have said: Tasked his Lordship when I came in this morning what was the number of Portuguese in this school, and what number left the school able to speak English. He answered first, that there cannot be far short of two hundred Portuguese trained in the school, and that all these, The Chronicle and Directory is the only practically speaking, leave the school able to

publication of its kind for China and Japan, speak English more or less.' If His Exceland it will be found invaluable in all Public, lency will take the same reply from me now I can give it without hesitation or reservation as regards the boys at the Central School." This is explicit enough, and it is a great pity Mr. STEWART was ever less so. Orders for Copies may be sent to the Daily For much of the regrettable misunderstanding Press Office, where it is published, or to the which has arisen concerning the work of the Central School Mr. STEWART is mainly responsible, not only on account of his illchosen words when he does write or speak, but also on account of his general reserve. The return is, as we have said, "astound-

ing," and ought not to be finally accepted without further and very careful inquiry into the figures. We say this because there is one transparent error in the return which induces us to think it possible other fallacies may be detected; and that the return generally has not been prepared with that care which ought to characterise the compilation of so important a document. The mistake we allude to is the following: "No. 255, filteen years of age, ten years and. Mr. F. Algar, Clement's Lane, two months at the Central School, who cannot speak English at all." As a matter of fact, no boy is admitted to the Central School under eight years of age, whereas, New York. Messrs. S. M. Pettingill & Co., according to the return, this boy must have entered before he completed his fifth year. So far from believing with His Excellency advice and assistance. Ordinance 15 of 1878 of beans, which formed the larger part of the that the actual knowledge of English

speaking possessed by the boys at the benefit. I savised him that he had a good de- and the plaintiff put a watchman over them to Central School has been tested "in a fence. He instructed me to appear for him and protect his lien. They were sold by the defenmanner that would place it beyond all further doubt or dispute, we think the notice of that defence to the plaintiff. I drew for the defendants. The cast for the two first return presented to the Council on Monday the special defence, and I gave notice in a letter, defendants was that the arrangement for the is, for the purposes of the present discussion, utterly valueless. It is, however, most peared as the advocate of his client by a special tenthe in the speculation, the third defendant important that the knowledge of "English privilege conferred on him by ordinary amount of spiritual lifeny has been received it has not been published speaking possessed by the boys should be public. Attorneys are not advocates by profes between them and the plaintiff had been already thirty; here, however, of course, the system of casionally found in individuals we need not be visite of inspection to Sensor. Kordofan K har tested in a manner that would place it be sion. I appeared for my client, playing my pro- settled on this basis; that the two first defend early betrothals comes in, but the old rhyms of surprised to find them very frequently in social tours, &c. At the last named place thorois quite youd all further dispute, and, in order that per professional role of advocate, but dispensed ants were not liable further, and that the plain the Hebrew oracle certainly defers matrimony to groups. The Russian educated classes are no a flourishing areenal and within twalve months from having an attorney to instruct me by or- tiff had no lien on the goods. In reply to this a prudential distance. The two nations both set exception to the general rule. They profess and quays and warehouses have been erected capable.

said, and his expressed intentions with regard court, he would have no claim to saddle plaintiff to having a similar return prepared next with that expense. If plaintiff had won his case year for comparison, it is absolutely necesthe would have been entitled to recover the exthe stry that a further examination be made,
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that barristers are paid as a rule at a higher rate
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knowledge of English among the pupils at amount of costs and in sending to Mr. Dennys the school. The importance of English for payment, I did solicitors work traspassed studies to the native youth in this Colony vince altogether. It is admitted that I had the cannot be over-estimated, and we had with right to alvise my olient, to draw up and sign estistactionall efforts fordiffusing more widely the special defence, to go into Courb and argue a knowledge of the Anglo-Saxon language must not send my clerk to the Court with the among them. We have in Mr. HENNESY defence, nor writh a note to the advocate on the a throughly practical and most energetic recognises the fact that the teaching staff As he said at the Council meeting, "nominally every boy was learning English four sibility; there were a large number of boys out the recommendations of the Conference which recently sat, and strengthen the staff Orders it is particularly requested that all of English teachers so that the work of the

> ously than ever. Hongkong on the 15th ultimo.

prizes. These of the public who are interested advisers and advocates, are more skilful and ex. in the sport are invited to be present.

nesday) on the Parade Ground, Murray Barracks, yers, better versed in the science of law, better commencing at 9 p.m.: "Le Cheval di Bronze" " Il Lombardi 'Germany' " Journalisten." MB. J. BUCHANAN, Bandmaster.

The Wei-yuens and gentry appointed on a made which saidcommittee by the Governor-General to ascertain wrecked was about 200, 25 houses were totally destroyed by fire and others partially so. It was found impossible to ascertain the number of deaths, but an estimate of over 10,000 is given, above cited clause, the sooner it is repealed or The committee have not been able to form any

An adjourned inquest was held at the Government Hospital yesterday, before the Coroner Johnson, Wm. H. Moore, and A. G. Morris, on the body of Yam Achan. Fung Ashing, a Yik rice shop with the deceased to carry rice. After carrying some bags he saw the deceased in a chair and accompanied him to the Tung was found to be dead. The deceased was a strong man, and had never complained of illness.—Dr. Wharry said that he had made a post n ortem examination of the body of the deceased. It was were no marks of violence upon the body. There was an answism of thundred, which had runtured

CORRESPONDENCE.

e do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondente]. THE BAND PERFORMANCES. TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS." SIR.—The suggestion made in "Enterpe's" letter of Monday may have been somewhat out of place in a public print, inasmuch as the mess night of a regiment has nothing whatever to do. with the public, but "Enterpe" prohably well knew this, and only desired to state, as a simple fact, that Monday or Tuesday evenings would enable some, and possibly many, to enjoy what they are now liable to be deprived of by the mess night, and consequent band performance, being on Fridays or mail nights. Anyhow, few can take exception to the reasons advanced for Euterpe's "suggestion, and it now only remains to be seen whether the colonel and officers of the 74th Highlanders can: conveniently, change their mess night, during the summer months, and so confer a great boon on the public.

I am, Sir, your obedient Fervant, CIVILIAN. Hongkong, 30th April, 1878. THE FEES OF BARRISTERS AND

ATTORNEYS. TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS." Sie, I am much obliged to you for your article of the 29th instant on the subject of an application made by Mr. Dennys the other day and the Attorney-General, and with him Mr. No to Mr. Justice Russell as to the costs in Fazulally | Choy, instructed by Mr. Brereton, appeared for and Da Costa. It gives me an opportunity I two of the defendants. He Tai Sang and Chun have been looking for, for some time past, of Yee, traing as the Yuen Wing Lee hong. The which, in the interests of the public, ought to merchant, has left the Colony. The jurors were be openly discussed and promptly settled either | Messrs. G. B. Emory, F. D. Sassoon, H. C. Erd. by Mr. Dennys, how much or how little Fazulally and H. Smith. I have no doubt. It is just as well, however, as a voyage to Newchwang and back, consulted the matter has been mentioned, that the facts him as a friend and he requested a broker

needlessly brought professional assistance into

Whatever form the return of next year lars. I sent it to Mr. Daniys with a note ask may fake, however, we singerely trust that in fling the said that in fling the development of the may fake, however, we singerely trust that an ending notice to Mr. Dannys it will show an appreciable increase in the said defence in sending notice to Mr. Sangeter for knowledge of English among the number of th in support; of it, and get judgment, but that I other side to say a defence was filed, nor ask the

Herk of the Court the amount of the costs, no By Appointment to His Excellency the Go- Governor, who will spare no trouble to fur- write Mr. Dennys for payment. First, I could ther progress in this direction. He fully have evaded the whole difficulty by writing the notes in question and getting my client to sign them. Not an attorney in the place could have the Control School is insufficient in number. objected, neither would they have been a cent in pocket, nor I out of pocket. Secondly, I say that the ordinance which empowers me to appear "Appear" is a technical word and does not hours a day, but practically it was an impos- mean simply to stand up in Court as an advocate -in all civil proceedings in the Court of Summary Jurisdiction, without the intervention of and very few English teachers; and no an attorney, empowers me not only to conduct doubt he will, as soon as practicable, carry my client's case in Court, bu also to do all things necessary to put the case properly before the Court, such as aling a special defence or giving a notice to the opposite party. Lastly, I say that if the ordinance is to be so read that an attorney ought to have been called in by me or my client Mr. Costs, and paid to file the defence and give

the notice and got the costs in the case we discussing, then the ordinance is a farce and an imposition on the public, who are still forced to The Danish steamer Asia left Hamburg for have attorney and counselor to leave themselves in the hands of the attorney entirely if they can only afford to fee one. If, it is said The German steamer Feronia left Singapore that the client must do all these things for this port on Sunday morning, the 18th ultimo. himself, he has not the knowledge, nor the About eleven c'clock on Monday morning a time. Fix it how you please, either he must and address with communications addressed to the fire broke out at Macso. It originated in a mat if he wishes to have counsel, have attorney also. Editor, not for publication, but as evidence of good Two children were burnt to death. and advocate, when he would prefer the services of a barrister, and when the ordinance was that morning, he was lying on his bed, when he unknown amongst the Pan v. When in deep of public indignation but it was moderate and The swimming races, the particulars of which passed with the sole object of allowing him to noticed the wooden bolt of the door move. He poverty, they sell their children, but with great fleeting compared to the excitement in Russia. were recently given in these columns, will take have the higher class of advice and advocady for place this afternoon, at five o'clock, at the bath one fee or set of costs. Mind, I do not say that for the door to open. After waiting for half an ing their death by show starvation. Commerce selves justified in calling the English by some of the Recreation Club. No competitor will all barristers are better advisers and advocates be allowed to carry off more than two first than any attorney. There are attorneys who, as

perionced than many barristers. What I do say is this, that as the profession is at present con-The Band of the 74th Highlanders will per- stituted and divided, the members of the bar form the following programme to-night (Wed- are the higher grade, supposed to be better lawread in text books, ar courant with all recent Auber decisions, and trained advocates. Taken as a body they are so. Formerly no one could ob tain the services of a barrister without going to and through an attorney. In a small place like this, and in a commercial community, that was found inconvenient and onerous. On the application of a large body of merchants, a law was months' imprisonment with hard labour.

> . A barrieter may without the intervention of an in the Court of Summary Jurisdiction and in all proceedings whatever before any Court of Inferior Juris.

Thus allowing those who would, to avail them selves in almost all cases of the supposed superior skill and training of the bar without the often needless expense of an attorney. If the suggested limitation is to be put on the amended the better. It is simply a delusion and

a snare to barristers and public alike. The fact is there ought not to exist in a colony like this the division between the two branches of the profession. They ought to be amalgamated In the Australian colonies, all of them I believe in Singapore, at Shanghai, and in Japan, on all sides of us in fact, there are general practitioners t was so here once, and ought to be again. The retrograde step was taken through the efforts of a clique, as most things are done here, and the excuse was an incidental evil arising from circumstances of time and place, not inherent in the system, and which might and ought to have been

amended instead of being made an excuse for the sweeping change that was made. With your permission, I will return to the sub ect again. It is a very wide one. Yours very

JNO. J. FRANCIS. Hongkong, 30th April. 1878. LATEST TELEGRAMS

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS. SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS," BY SOUTHERN ROUTE.

London, 28th April. THE SITUATION IN EUROPE. The exchange of views is proceeding between the Great Powers with reference to the peace The insurgents in Bulgaria have surprised and

aptured a Russian camp near Philippopolis One thousand prisoners have been taken. The Grand Duke Nicholas, brother of the Czar has been recalled on the ground of ill health, as to be replaced by General Todleben.

> SUPREME COURT April 30th.

IN ORIGINAL JURISDICTION BEFORE THE ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE. HON. SNOWDEN, AND A SPECIAL JURY.

NG MUN KWAN V. HO TAI SANG AND OTHERS. Mr. Hayllar, Q.C., instructed by Mesers, Sharp Toller, and Johnson, appeared for the plaintiff

one way or the other. The direct question raised mann, W. Reiners, P. A. da, Costa, H. Dickie. ought to pay by way of compensation for the expense and trouble to which he put my client by of an account alleged to be due for money addragging him into Court without cause is of vanced by the plaintiff for the defendants in very little interest to the public. The Rogistrar | connection with the charter of the American and the Court will settle it without any difficulty | barque Quicksten. The plaintiff's case was that and to the complete satisfaction of both parties, the defendants, wishing to charter a vessel for

should be accurately stated. Fazulally, theplain- to get a vessel for them, which was done. tiff, retained Mr. Dennys to conduct his case. At defendants' request the plaintiff paid certain A summons was in due course issued and served sums to Messrs. Russell and Co., the agents on the defendant. He brought it to me, without through whom the vessel was chartered, on the the intervention of an attorney, and asked my charter party, and accepted as security a quantity empowered him to do so, an ordinance passed not cargo. The beaus were stored in a godown sefor my benefit but for his and for the public oured for the purpose by the defendant's hong defend. His case was such that it was necessary dants without plaintiff's knowledge, and he now to draw up and file a special defence, and to give sought to recover the amount advanced by him signed by me, to the attorney on the other side, | charter of the vessel was made by the plaintiff The case came on for hearing. Mr. Dennys ap- who requested them to take a share of three

BEFORE MR. JUSTICE RUSSELL

use of in the return this year - monor be case finished. I sent to the Clerk of the had puy down butter in order, as he samitted not all the halance being something remarkable, but he has yet to

guid to aponk English at all " should be re. Court to know Every lam office However in far Cathay is always prepared to would be on the side of England However defendant was suitled to recover 1 got tiff that he might have to answer for this in a detect and to call attention to the errors of other this may be, it is quite certain that the Eng.

POLICE COURT 30th April.

COURT THE HON CHARLES MAY

UNLAWFUL POSSESSION. Marion, and Chan Afour a hawker, were charged are also called Pan-yao or Yao-yen and the with being in unlawful nossession of an oil can. | Siaw-pan or Pan-v. The Pan-y are the most p.m., he noticed a small sampan alongside, with turban like the Mahometans. Sometimes they the second prisoner. Witness saw in the sampan woor round their nack a handkerchief with emsome empty oil cans which belonged to the vessel, broldery, having at its extremity some characters, as her name was pointed on them. The second in Chinese, with others quite unknown, and of prisoner said that the first prisoner had sold them which nobody appears to know the meaning, but to him for fifty cents. The cans were worth they are handed down from father to son. The

oil oans as he was under the belief that they The Pan-y do not till the ground; but they stways assumed that the initiative belongs to not know where they came from.

old the first prisoner. with a caution; and the second prisoner was separate family by family, or, at the most in basis and can be fermented by two mutually fined ten shillings; in default, seven days im groups of four or five families. The Chinese take destructive suppositions. So it was, or at least prisonment with hard labour, for unlawful postady advantage of this to oppress and reduce them to seemed to be in Russia at that time. The real

ATTEMPTED BURGLARY. to broak into a house on the Prays. Wong Afat, master of a barber's shop near men corried off and sold. The poor people oitles added which find to the diame. In Eng. the Harbour-Master's said at about four o'clock are the true parishs of China. Infanticide is land there was containly a very decided outburst. armed himself with a piece of wood, watching sorrow, and in order to avoid the pain of witness. and accordingly the Russians considere lathent saw the prisoner, who immediately ran away, of bird called hormi, which abounds in the the Russian took an active part and were acthe same now in court. They were on the ground, naturally on the mountains, and becomes the and, the enveity accordingly increased. The close to the place where the prisoner was seized. property of the first person who may happen to majority of Russians wished the question to P.C. 41 and Chun Akum, a barber, corrobo lay hands on it.

the market to buy vegetables. He was standing thing they see his satanio majesty. If any one finding some compromise, the Conference near the door when he was seized by the barbers. has a deformity in his body, they say it is the met at Constantinople and mave the Russians He did not try to open the door.

DRUNKENNESS. Sector, was charged by P.C. 67 with being drunk hearing the prayers." and incanable in Queen's-road. -- Fined fifty cents; in default, one day's imprisonment.

The prisoner came up and without any provocat to the Siamese — Catholic Register. tion struck witness in the face. P.C. 4 proved the apprehension of the prisoner and said he had some knowledge of him, that was a violent man, and had been three times charged with similar offences. The prisoner pleaded drunkenness

His Worship fined him El.; in default, twent one days' imprisonment with hard labour.

THE TEN AGES OF MAN IN CHINA One of the great difficulties that the ordinary foreigner feels in this country is to get at the inner life of the native. The Chinese have for centuries elected to adopt what is popularly known as a policy of isolation. This means being interpreted, that they have found their own modus vivendi satisfactory to themselves, and her nurse into the scale in favour of Turkey, she and that they have not been suddenly and crazily enamoured of the practices, the morals, or the was almost within eight of Constantinople, and notions on which the inhabitants of Western realms sot so high a store. A very formidable periously menaced merely sent a few ships of war barrier, therefore, exists between the Chinese into the Sea of Marmora. Whether this policy and the citizens or subjects of European of conditional neutrality was wise or foolish, it countries. This is to be regretted on all seems, when thus stated briefly and plainly, one accounts, and it is to be deplored and to of which Russia, at least, had little reason to be wondered at that more efforts are not complain. British neutrality was certainly not made by foreigners to get at the inner secret of the so-called benevolent kind, but it opposed the Chinaman's life, and to trace the average no obstacle to the military operations, and was career that he seems destined to run. The adage surely less objectionable from the Russian point that "there is a deal of human nature in man." if it could be thoroughly realized and acted on tion the blockade of the Baltic ports, and the would do more than the pulpit and platform addresses of many missionaries in induce foreign residents to warm to the subject of China and to feel for and with its inhabitants. The question what are a Chinaman's ideas of life and its duties is an interesting one. A foreigner who begins to study England and the English, not from life but from books, goes through a course of Shakespeare, and gets very early acquainted with that stock piece, the "Seven Ages." He probably learns by heart the description of the infant in his. nurse's arms, and the school-boy "creeping like snail unwillingly to school," and the lover, and the soldier "full of strange oaths," and all the rest of the category. He admires in this and in all kindred passages two things; first, the gene- evident proposition; and if he deigns to make ral truthfulness and harmony of the pictures and their universality of application, and socond, the little local and temporary notes, of time and costume which tie the series of descriptions down to an epoch, and give it tions, everweening national pride of the English perhaps in some of its characters, notably in that of the Justice, its distinctive English French. Towards their own national defects flavour. A similar picture of the ages of man's they are most merciless critics. What foreigners life is found in China, and it is worth while to have written against them is far surpassed by introduce it to the reader. The Chinaman does what they have written against themselves, not give us seven ages, but ten; and his discussing with the public one or two questions third defendant, Chow Tsz Yu, who traded as a description of the succession of figures and characteristics is this:—The age of ten is called "the opening degree:" twenty, "youth expired; "thirty, "strength and marriage; forty, "officially apt: "fifty, "error-knowing; sixty, "cycle closing;" seventy, "rare bird

eighty, "rusty visaged;" ninety delayed ... one hundred. Age's extremity. Here, of course, there are points which coincide with the European division of man's duties and destination, and there are points which strangely differ from the ordinary view of the succession of tasks and characteristics which await and distinguish humanity. Side by side with the ten ages of man accord-

ing to the Chinese, we have the ancient Jewish division in the fourteen ages of the Mishna. We give an approved translation from the German-At five. to the Scripture he turns At ten, in the Mishna he learns:

Thirteen for the duties of life: Fifteen in the talmud is rife; Eighteen to take him a wife; At twenty to get himself wealth At thirty in pride of his health At forty he heards up his pelf At fifty gives counsel himself At mixty mature in his age; At seventy his hairs show him rage; At eighty his days run not fast; At ninety no pleasure can last;
A century to death he has past.

ABORIGINAL TRIBES IN KWANG SI The Rev Father Squebicres, who is living on the mountains which divide the Chinese province

Buang Beb. writes as follows ---

Awong, a scaman on the British steamer into two different tribes, the Tin-pan-yao, who Samuel Death, chief officer on the Marion, numerous. The dress of the men is similar to women wear a long robe, very decent, and a hat The first prisoner, in defence, said he sold the similar in shape to that worn by the Greeks.

His Worship discharged the first prisoner know even how to handle the tools. They live Unfortunately, passion does not require a logical slavery. The other day some Chinamen entered cause of the enmity probably was the instinctive the house of one of them, with the intention conviction that however the Eastern Catestion Leong Akwai was charged with attempting taking away, his wife and daughters. The might be raised Russia would have in England husband resisting was killed, and the wo her principal opponent. The Bulgarian atrohour and only one of the two wooden bolts being amongst them is very triffing, being confined to very ugly names, which need not be repeated. moved, he got up, spened the door, and there he the sale of some precious woods, tea, and a kind The next event was the Service war, in which Witness and some more of his men pursued and mountains, and is highly prized by the Chinese | cused by the Euglish of disregarding the elecaught the prisoner. A European constable I have been told that one of these birds has been mentary principles of international law. The came and picked up two pointed implements, sold for as much as 200 tools. Tea grows Eastern Question was thereby thoroughly raised.

The prisoner, in defence, said he was going to general belief in and fear of the devil. In overy, wished it to be shelved. In the hope of work of the devil. While my catechist was new ground for complaint. The British Govern-His Worship sentenced the prisoner to six reciting the prayers a pagen was observed to be ment was said to be not only playing a double constantly quitting the chapel. When asked came brow beating the Turks through Lord the reason, he said :- I have a devil in my Salisbury, and encouraging them to resistance William Dunn a firemen on the British steamer stomach, and I am afraid be will get angry at through Sir Henry Elliot but also speculating

The several dialects spoken by the Pan-y bear deavouring to humiliate her. When war actually a resemblance to the Tu-yen. In all these various | broke out, those who desired it and those who did dialects, the construction of the septence is red not desire it were equally furious at England-Michael Hart, a seaman, unemployed, was gular. For instance, instead of the Chinese Pe- the former because they regarded her as their real charged with essaulting Hugh Collect in the fong (North the Wind), they say Nom pak (Wind antagonist, the latter because they believed that

BUSSIAN FEELING TOWARDS EN

The Times's correspondent writing from St Petersburg on March 8th, says -If it be true as many people assure me, that throughout Rus. sin the feeling of hostility to England is at this moment greater than during the Crimean war, the fact is difficult to explain Twenty five years ago England regarded Turkish interests as almost identical with her own and made enor mous sacrifices to protect the independence and integrity of the Ottoman Empire against Rus. sian encreachments. Now, on the contrary, she remains inactive while the Russian Government carries out its policy of destroying the Turkisl power in Europe. Instead of throwing her sword observed a strict neutrality until the Russian army even then, when she believed her interests to be of view than the formation of a European coalisending of an expedition to the Crimes. However unnalatable certain recent despatches may have been to the Cabinet of St. Petersburg, they must seem to say impartial spectator mere triffes when compared with the occupation of the Dann

bian Principalities and the siege of Sebsetopol. All this will doubtless be fully recognized when the excitement and passions have cooled and perhaps the future historian will have some difficulty in explaining the present state of public opinion. But for the moment the intense hatred of England and Austria seems the most natural thing in the world. If you ask a Russian the cause of it, he will store at you in astonishment, as if you asked the reason of a gelf a reply his answer will probably contain little beyond vague declamation. At ordinary times the Russians are most kindly, amiable, and conciliatory, and habitually laugh at the preten and the good natured national vanity of the and I have often wondered that among those who systematically calumniate them no one has vet had the idea of rublishing a book

entitled The Russian People inservingit

If a clever advocate, well acquainted with

Russian literature and accustomed to read

regularly Russian newspapers and periodicals, ing from Alexandria on the 14th March says

the English Press, but even many very small pleces, especially, if they happen to be in the House of Commons, bave a range which is practically unlimited. A most insignificant member for a most insignificant borough can, by asking the mountains which divide the Chinese province an irrelevant question of the Uniter-Secretary of Ewang at from the Amaunita province of the Policy Affeirs; send to Religious in identity

which will be translated by the Itussian papers The inhabitants of these mountains are divided and read by thousands of those for whom it is intended. In Russia no man has such a power except perhaps Prince Gortchakoff and the editor of the Agence Russe, both of whom are in a way responsible for consequences, while the said on the 29th instant at about three o'clock that of the Chinese in winter. They wear a honourable member of the House of Common has always the privilege and apparently often the consciousness of being an irresponsible agent With repard to this wordy warfare there remains the question. Who herein it? As in the case of all historical phenomena, it is difficult to determine what French writers call les origines. In the discussions which I have had with Rus. sian friends on this point my opponents have were of no value, and the crew could throw them out down a forest of trees, burn them, and apply England but I think that this is a mistake. So the ashes as a manure. Then they make a hole far as I recollect, the warfare began, or at least The second prisoner said he bought the cans in the ground with a stick, in which they deposit assumed considerable proportions, when the Brifrom the first prisoner for half a dollar. He did the seed, and, the soil being fresh a plantiful lish Government refused to join in the Berlin crop is produced. (The system is precisely simi. Memorandum. That relusal produced a great-Mahommed Shek said he was told by the late lar to that adopted by the savages in the Islands | deal of indignation in Russia and gave rise to a chief officer that the old oil cans were of no use, of the Pacific). The Pany have no idea of work, good deal of bad logic. England was blamed in and that the crew could sell them. Witness When Linvited them to build a chapel one day's one and the same breath; for meddling in the labour was quite enough for them. They did not Eastern Question and for standing a loof from it

be at once solved in favour of the oppressed The religion of the Pan-y may be reduced to a Slave, while the majority of Englishmen on Russia's conciliators disposition and en-

North). The Tu-yen assumes different modification had pushed their country into a war injurious. The prosecutor said that he was second officer cations according to the language spoken by the to its real interests. The enmity was of course of the British bark Echo, and was paid off on Mon-neighbouring people. Where I am, it takes a not diminished by the military reverses. As the day. He was now stopping at the Sailors Home. good deal from the Cantonese; in other places it French in 1870 saw everywhere spies and traitors. Between ten and eleven o'clock last evening he takes after the Misu-tse, and the Giung-ken tse so the Russians in 1877 saw everywhere Euglish was in company with another officer of a ship. The Tu-yen, it appears, bears a close resemblance gold and English soldiers. When it became known that a British Cabinet cannot grant enormous aubventions without the knowledge of Parliement, it was supposed that Lord Benconsfield had secretly used his influence with English bankers to make thom grant a loan to the Porte; and when it came to be understood that few English bankers are ready to throw away their money id order to please a Prime Minister; it was supposed that the Porte had drawn on the Indian Exchequer. At the same time, it was confidently believed that large bodies of Turkish troops were Senove in disguise while all redhaired Turks were supposed to be disguised Englishmen, and consequently received. I have been assured very little quarter. The Press mean. while, I am sorry to say, did very little towards enlightening public opinion in this respect Many of the newspapers did all in their power to foster the delusions and lashed themselves and their readers into a state of fanatical excitement. The effect of all this on public opinion may be best illustrated by stating a simple fact. In the columns of the Golos a learned Professor International Law gravely entered into a long. laborate argument to prove that Englishmen were not quite so had as Bashi-Bazouks! When the Bussian troops snoceeded in passing Balkons and advanced rapidly on Constanti noble, there was a momentary lull in the storm

hatred rebut it burst forth afresh when the British Government demanded a vote of credit. sent ships of war into the Sea of Marmora, and began to make warlike proparations. Since that time numerous little incidents have occurred to increase the irritation, and at present the hostility perhaps more intense than at any previous period. For the moment the chief grievance is the Congress and the concessions which Russia is supposed to have made in order to avoid a European war. The enthusiasm produced by the conclusion of the peace was very soon cooled by the thought that the conditions were not known, and that some of them would be sub mitted to the consideration of the Great Powers. The intelligence that the neare was signed was received on Sunday evening, and already on Monday I heard a great many murmurs. The dissaasiaction may possibly be increased next week by the publication of the Treaty. A premoni tory symptom of this I have just received in a letter from Moscow. When I obtained on Monday some information about the peace conditions sent it to a Russian friend in the ancient capital who is a good representative of the extreme section of Moscow public opinion. The reply is as follow :- "I hope you are misinformed as to the 'moderate' terms contained in you. last letter. They would not be moderate, but silly and absurd, and Russia would deserve the contemptuous opinions expressed by the Euglish Turcophile newspapers.

AFFAIRS IN EGYPT.

The correspondent of the Times of India, writ

undertook such a work, he might construct from The most important event of the week has been the voluntary confessions of the accused one of the arrival at Cairo of His Excellency Gordon the most terrible indictments that ever were Pasha (Colonel Gordon), Governor General of the penned. All he would have to do would be to Soudan. His Excellency has been engaged set arrange dexterously and translate literally the tling the long outstanding questions with King rich materials at his disposal, without adding a John or Kassa of Abyssinia. It is said that a single word of comment. The indictment would satisfactory arrangement has been arrived at, but be as exaggerated and unjust as those outbursts the terms and conditions of the breaty are not of sweeping self-condemnation in which some made known, and thus the door is left open to all impulsive nervous people indulge during their sorts of surmises and reports. In all such matmoments of repentance, but it would be a remark- ters there is a want of candons and publicity on able monument of national modesty and capacity the part of the Egyptian Government, and then for self-humiliation. The simple, credulous complaints are made that incorrect versions reader might perhaps, draw from it the conclus, find their way into print. In purely oriental sion that the Russians were a people without administrations this antiquated system is not any feelings of national vanity, national pride, to be wondered at, but as many of the Go. or national dignity, but by that conclusion he vernment departments are now more or less would show his ignorance not only of the Rus- presided over by Europeans, it is to be hoped sian character. But of human nature in general. | that a more open and fenthful state will obtain The humiliation which courts the public gase ge- | An long ago as November, 1877, a letter was nerally conceals inordinate self-sufficiency, and received from Colonel Gordon, dated October 5th the man who estentationally flagellates himself or stating that negotiations with King John had invites the passers by to look at him sitting in been successful and that peace had been consackcloth and seles may safely be assumed to cluded. Further information was expected, but this may be done we would suggest that dinance and in the interests of the public. The it was contended for the plaintiff that all the descriptions and plaintiff that all the descriptions and both are keen and successful in national prejudices and fanations of all kinds. The city is to be supplied with Nile water by the school be subjected to a most rigid examination by a Board specially appointed for the purpose. No doubt one of the unofficial members of the unofficial members of the Council was assistance of counsel for his defence, he was enjoy that assistance of counsel for his defence, he was enjoy that assistance of counsel for his defence, he was enjoy that controlled to a most rigid examination by a Board specially appointed for the purpose. No doubt one of the unofficial members of the Council in defending himself; the Registrar to settle purpose of this advantage and many other improvements are obligated to a most rigid examination by a Board specially appointed for the purpose of this advantage, and the purpose of the twenty, when as fer as the Chinese maxims go, an English country squire of the old school him the presidency. He was met at Assimh by the native of the Flowery Land is simply re- would have no reason to be ashamed. In several notables from Cairo, and fornished with presented as having come to the end of his spite of all this, on individual Englishman, a special train. After being warmly received by CHAU ASENG V. UN ACHU, \$90.06.—This was youthful tether, and to be unconcerned at no who does not rook to make himself disagreeable. His Highness the Khedive, the palace of Kuxr-REPORTS or MEETINGS OF MEETING win his spors as an authority on fluancial matters, or as chairman of a committee of ways and means. Quiet, unostentations, unselfish, and successful in his own work, it seems running some risk to enter on a business apparently so uncongenial to his nature and tasto. If a thorough and searching inquiry be made, the result can scarcely be agreeable to the Khodive, and if the inquiry be incomplete, everyone, ex-

There is news from Captain Burton and his mining expedition from the Gulf of Akatah and the land of Midion. The caravan consists of sixty soldiers, of which thirty are engineers, or sappers and miners, with of course the usual camp followers, and some Europeans. It was thought not unlikely that the Bedonins would prove troublesome, but so far such has not been the case. The explorers have arrived at Mayer. Schweib, about 100 miles from the coast, where the nature of the soil is all that was expected. Several borings and soundings have been made with satisfactory results. The entire district shows traces of ancient mining operations, gold and silver quarts are found in the mountain ranges, and old furnaces give evidence of former works. Without hoing too sanguine or predicting a second California on the Arabian Coast of the Red Sea, those competent to from an opinion believe that by a judicious application of capital and machinery valuable returns will be obtained. Within the last few days Egyption funds have had a great rise. This is accounted for by several reasons. First of all the treaty of peace between Russis and Turkey having been actually signed, and several of the terms being less dangerous and exacting than expected, it force Conference will provent any further conflagration. Becondly, thanks to the flem attitude of the Law Courts and of the Commissioners of the Public Debt, the receipts of the Treasury are rapidly increasing. There has been a large, bussiness in

Egyptians both on French and Egypthin account; and Bears becoming frightened have closed their dealings at any sacrifice. Unified that a week Since were 25 and Preference 48, are now 32 and Theavourze, in Februarit degrees and tess, kept in toe 56 respectively. "It is reported to day that the copin air in a shalled situation." 56 respectively. It is reported to day that the Khedive, although he refused at the somewhat brusque request of Messrs. Goschen and Joubert to allow inquiry into expenditure as well as income, has yielded to more conciliatory local advice. - Every side of the question is to be thoroughly investigated, including the unsettled balance of floating debt, and the Khedive has offered to surrender £500,000 of the sum allotted by the November 1876 decree (£4,500,000) for expenditure. If all this is not too good to be true, the silver lining to the cloud is clearly visible, and although high interest always means proportionate risk, a present low prices marty. bona fide investors will be tempted to buy, and and thus a further considerable rise will be

A FALSE ALARM AT MALTA They thought they had got hold of a spy the other day in Malta. Russian or Gorman they did not know which; but the Governor of the island, who has a mania for discovering mares' nests, was terribly agitated all the same. A dreadful fellow, it appears, had been noticed lucking about the bastions. He had been seen rapt in the profoundest study over a gun carriage, taking notes, and, as some said, even sketches. of the fortifications; and once had actually attempted to enter a battery, which, on being THE Undersigned, having been appointed the questions he had been putting to various pany call SPECIAL ATTENTION OF The result was he was finally adjudged a spy: Brokerage of THIRTY-THREE and ONEand a memorandum dated February 16th was THIRD PER CENT. (33) %,) will be allowed gravely issued by the Governor, announcing that, on risks to ports in China, Japan, the Philipthere being every reason to know a spy of a pines, and the Straits. On risks to all other foreign Government was in Malta, seeking to ports the Brokerage will be FIFTEEN PER make plans of the defences of the island, the CENT. (15 %) only. authorities considered it incumbent that extra vigilance be used to allow no individual to enter any fortifications without a written order; and should any remain there after being warned, he was to be quietly, but unceremoniously, turned NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE away. Judge, however, of the disgust of the alarmists when the atrocious Russian agent turns out to be only a harmless old forey, who it seems comes to Malta annually in the winter for his health, and who is a member of the very club of which the Governor is President. There are some nevertheless, who contend that this apparent innocence is all part of the character

Sextons and parish clerks have a precriptive reputation for grim wit, but we confess we have not before heard anything like this .- In a certain North Riding parish an old woman named Molly Jakes died and was buried. A few days after the funeral the vicar was talking to the sexton, when the latter said, drawing the back of his hand across his nose, "Ye thow't old Molly Jakes were decad, sur." Dead, dead P Bless my soul, of course she was." "Well, mebbe she is neow." "What do you mean? Speak; heaven's sake, man." "Nay, sur, it's now't only I thow't efter I'd thrown the mould in as heeardher movin under t' greand (ground). "You dug her up at once, of course, man alive?" "Nay." said the sexton, "I knawed two o' that," casting a knowing look at the parson. "T' parish paid one burying, who was to pay me for digging up an putting her in again if she dead once mair? Besides, old Molly cost to parish hef-a-croon a wook when she war wick (alive). Noo she's felted (hidden) under t' greand she costs now't. If I'd digged her up and she lived ever soah long what would ha't' ratepayers a said teah me?"

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

OPIUM. TUESDAY, 30th April. Potna only has been dealt in to day at \$5771-Per American bark Quickstep, for Victoria 4,668 bags Rice, 20 bags Beans, 80 bags Sugar, 290 pkgs. Oil. 11 pkgs. Tobacco, 906 packages. Wine, 110 pkgs. Soy, 1,278 pkgs. Sundries, 40 Por Bremen bark E. P. Bouverie, for San Francisco: 273 bags Beans, 93 bags Pepper, 60. bags Sago, 380 rolls Matting, 327 pkgs. Fire Crackers, 674 pkgs. Scy. 455 pkgs. Wine. 1,097 pkgs. Scy. 455 pkgs. Wine. 1,097 pkgs. Oil, 529 pkgs. Paper, 97 pkgs. Tobacco, 6,095 pkgs;

EXCHANGE. On LONDON .--Bank Bills, on demand9/101 Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight, 3/101 to 3/101 Bank Bills, at 6 months' sight 3/11 Credits, at 6 months sight 3/111 Documentary Bills, at 6 months' On CALCUTTA Bank, sight 2231 ON SHANGHAL .---

Sundries, 500 pkgs. Tes and 6,440 pieces Granite.

Bank, night Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Shares - 59 per of Policy

Union Insurance Society of Canton -\$1,325 per China Traders' Insurance Company's Shares \$1,300 per share Yangtaze Insurance Association Tls. 630 per share. Chinese Insurance Company-\$270 per share

3700 per share: China Fire Insurance Company's Shares \$175 Hongkong and Whampon Dock Company's Acoumulations this date

Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steambout Co.'s Shares \$4 per share discount. Shanghai Steam Navigation Company-Th. 21 per share. Hongkong Gas Company's Shares 375 per

Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares \$55 per China Sugar Refining Company, Limited 5 per cont. premium. Chinese Imperial Loan-£105 Chinese Imperial Losn of 1877—2103 10s.

SALES ON APRIL SOTH, AS REPORTED BY CHINESE, Mushrooms-2 case, at \$36.00, by Chun Chong to travelling trader. Animal Tallow-10 packages, at Tls. 7.5.0.0. Kwong Hing Chong to local trader. Black Peac 700 piculs, at \$1.92, by Kwong proportion to the premium paid by them. Kwong Hing Chong to local trader.
White Pepper—30 bags, at \$13.50, by Hop
Hing to travelling broder.

HONGKONG TEMPERATURE. PROU MESSAS PALOCHER & Co. a REGISTARD April 80th. Barometar-9 V.M. Barometei—4 P.M. 29.870 Thurstomilar ball Thermometer 1 P. W. (Wat laub) Thermometer - 1 P. (Wet bulb) Thermometer-Maximum Thermometer-Minimum (over right)

CHINA COAST, METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER. YESTERNATE TELEGRAMS

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> BAROMETER, level of the sea in medies, tens, and hundreds. N.N.E., N.E. &c.
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> FORCE OF WIND. O calm. 1 to S light breeze 3 to 5 moderate. 5 to 7 fresh. 7 to 8 strong. 8 to 10 heavy. 10 to Braze of Vesture B Clear blue sky D Cloudy D
> Drizely. F. Fog. G. Foggy. H. Heil. L. lightning. M.
> Minty. O. Overcust. P. Passing showers. Q. Squally. P.
> Rainy. S. Snow. T. Thunder. D. Bad, threatening P.
> Vizibility. W. Storm. L. Calm. The letters are repeated to indicate any increase over the mean average of their RAIN—The hours of rain for the previous 24 hours (noon) are registered from 1 to 24, and the quantity of water fallon indicated in motion tens and hundreds.

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ordered to quit, he refused to do: Then, too, Agents in Hongkong for the above Commilitary men were of the most awful signific- SHIPPERS to the low rates of Premium ance—all about our ironolads and soldiers! charged for all steamer risks, besides which a

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3rd instant, at 2.80 P.M. MAILS BY THE INGLISH PACKET. The English Contract Packet "NIZAM" will be despatched with the Mails for Europe, &c. on HATURDAY, the 4th May. The following will be the hours of closing the Mails. &co. :-

FRIDAY, 3rd May, 5 P.M., Money Order Office closes.
6 P.M., Post Office closes except the Night Box. which remains open all night. SATURDAY, 4th May,

A.M., Post Office opens for sale of Stamps, Registry of Letters, and Posting of all corre-10 A.M., Post Office closes except for Late Letters. Registry of Letters cesses. 10.15 A.M., Letters may be posted on payment of a Late Fee of 18 cents extra Postage, until

11 A.M., when the Post Office CLOSES entirely. 11.30 A.M., Letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom vid Brindisi, or to Singapore, may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 48 cents extra postage, until 11.50 A.M., when the Mail is finally closed.

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11.10 A.M., Letters (but Letters only) may be posted on payment of a Late Fee of 18 cents extra postage, until 11.30 A.M., when the Post Office CLOSES en-

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Under the old Ordinance no notice was required of the departure of a vessel if not advertised, nor of departures for Canton or Macao. Notice is now required of any departure, though with regard to sailing ships, the old rule will practically remain in force, that notice need not be sent unless asked for. Section XXV. requires that the first notice be sent to the Post Office.

In the case of steamers plying regularly or on fixed days, notice of any change in the day or hour will be sufficient. Stamped correspondence may still be sent on board any vessel after the Mail is closed at the

The Postmaster-General takes this opportunity of calling the attention of firms to the fact that any such words as Despatches will close at 11 illegal. Consignees' letters are exempted by law from passing through the Post Office, but no person is allowed to make collection of such latters for transmission under a penalty of £100 per week during which the practice continued.

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stracted for the sake of the Postage Stamps... The Postmaster or Agent may postpone purchasing if the public funds in hand are not sufficient, and he will refuse to purchase in any case which appears doubtful or suspicious. He is allowed to charge a Commission of one per cent. on all Stamps purchased.

The Philippine Islands being now admitted into the General Postal Union, it follows that all paid correspondence received from Manila in the mails will be delivered free by this Office. and that all naid correspondence sent to Manila in the mails should be delivered free there. Article IX. of the Postal Treaty of Berne provides that "Neither the senders nor the addressees of letters and other postal markets shall be called upon to pay, either in the Country of Origin, or in that of Destination, any tax or duty other than " the recognised rates levied (in the case of paid correspondence) by the despatching office. It is hoped that any extra charge,

or apparently extra charge, will at once be brought to the notice of the proper authorities, in either Colony. The above does not apply in any way to loose lotters cent outside the mails. These will always be charged on arrival in Hongkong, and probably the Manila Office will adopt the same

charges on correspondence exchanged between

this Colony and Saigon, but it is believed it

would be found in all cases that the letters, &c., had been sent loose. PATTERNS. Some difficulty is experienced in obtaining a general understanding of what is a Pattern. It is a bona fide sample of goods which the sender has for sale, or of goods which he wishes to order. It is to consist of the smallest possible quantity compatible with showing what the goods are; and must have no intrinsic value Most countries to which Hongkong forwards

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EXTRACTS MOTHER AND CHILD-DANE AND PERSEUS Closed in the fine wrought chest She falt the rlain; winds the waters move. Then, by new fears possessed, With action wild: And checks bedewed she stretched her arms of love Towards Persons: "O my obild," What sorrow rings my broast? While thou art sunk so deep In infancy's calm sleep; Launohed in this joploss ark, Bronzed-fastened, glimmering-dark, Yet, pillowed on thy tangled hair, Thou almubr'st, nor dost care For billows past thee bounding. Nor breezes shrilly sounding, Laid in thy mantle red, sweet face, how fair ! Alı! but if fear Had aught of fear for thee, Thou even to me Wouldst turn thy tender par-But now I bid theo rost, my babe; sloop still Rost, O then sen! Rost, rost, unbounded ill! Zonus, Father, some relief, some change from Thee 'Am I too hold? For his sake pardon me !.

-From Simonides in Good Words. MICHAEL ANGELO AS A POET Except a few pieces printed by Vasari and by Varchi, none of Michael Angelo's poems were published until fifty-nine years after his death. It was then that a grand nephew of the great man and his namesake conceived the idea of editing these works in verse and transcribed them from the collection in the of a large snake, held well up in air with the course of conversation, that your great Eng-Vatican. But when he had copied them out forked tongue out! It must have been try- lish poet, Mr. Tennyson, hated Russin. "In White Brocedes, per piece." he was terrified at the ghost he had sum. ing to get itself out of the room, but I shut deed," said I: "that is most unfortunate. moned out of the past. The boldness of the door in its face and called for Jack, arm. But can you tell me why?" "Oh," was the Michael Angelo's thought, the ruggedness of ing myself with my riding-whip. Jack came response, "we English people, you know, his style and the numerous faults of his ver- running up instantly, but declined all offers cannot tolerate your knout system !" " How sification were more than this Della Cruscan of walking-sticks from the hall, having no good of you!" I explained; "upon this we worthy could bear, and he ventured to touch | confidence in English sticks, and preferring | perfectly agree. But, tell me, why should them up and actually refashion them. In to trust only to his own light, strong staff. your Laureate live only in the past, and take. 1623 he published his amended version, and | Cautiously we opened the door again; the no notice of the present? Poets are not this, rifacimento, as it is called, has been the snake was now drawn up in battle-array, confined to the contemplation of the past; text of the poems until our own time. "In coiled in a corner difficult to get at, and with the future itself is sometimes disclosed to fact," as Mr. Symonds amusingly says, outstretched neck and darting head. Jack their ken." With a puzzled look and a "Michael Angelo the poet suffered no less advanced boldly and fenced a little with the hesitating accent, he observed, "But you do from his granduephew than Michael Angele creature, pretending to strike, but when he not mean to say that the know is a thing of the fresco painter from his follower, Daniele | saw a good moment he dealt one shrewd | the past, not of the present?" "That is prede Volterra," who was commissioned to paint | blow which proved enough. Then I suddenly | cisely what I do mean to say," I answered. garments upon the master's grand nude became very courageous, after Jack had cried, "If I wish to stick to facts I can say nothing 1863 Signor Guasti, after carefully collecting all the manuscript authorities, published the whip, just to show my indignation at its perhaps, also is the case with the cat o'-ninehad left them, with all the errors, imperfec- drink up a cup of milk left for the baby. Without answering my question, my friend tions, and rough beauties. The genuine text Baby woke up delighted with the scrimmage, said, "Since when?" "Shortly after the of his translation. Perhaps as good a way dangling across Jack's stick. We all went is a long way off: but is lifteen years not as any of observing the difference between the improved text of 1623 and the untouched some days, as all the rooms open on to the ears of England's Laureate.—Is Russia version of 1863 will be to compare a transla- verandah, and the snakes are very fond of Wrong? A Series of Letters. By a Russian tion by Wadsworth from the former with one of the same souncts by Mr. Symonds from the

Yes, hope may with my strong desire keep pace,
And I be undeluded, unbetrayed; For if of our affection none find grace In sight of Heaven, then wherefore bath God made The world which we inhabit? Better plea Love change than in loving thee. Glory so eternal peace is paid, Who such divinity to thee imparts. As hallows and make pure all goatle hearts, That hope is treacherous only whose love dies With beauty, which is varying every hour;
But in claste hearts, uninfluenced by the power.
Of outward change, there blooms a deathless flower That breathes on earth the air of Paradisc. . A very pretty poem; but surely this is more characteristic of the savage force of Michael

Angelo: It must be right sometimes to entertain Chaste love with hope not over credulous; Since if all human loves were Impious . Unto what end did God the world ordain? If I love thee and bend beneath thy reign, 'Tis for the sake of bonuty glorious, Which in thine eyes divine is stored for us, And drives all evil thought from its domain. This is not love where transmit we now it.
In loveliness that overy moment dies;
Which, like the face it worships, fades away:
True love is that which the pure heart hath known, Which alters not with time or death's decay, Yielding on earth carnest of Paradise. $-London\ Examiner.$

revenged itself on the suicide who had escaped | rioters procured the halter. According to a | this juvenile insect possesses a very long its jurisdiction by punishing the criminal's story narrated in the illustrations to Geekie's lower lip, which is not only highly movrelations, savage custom satisfies indignation | Edinburgh Etchings, the leader of the mob | able, but bears at its extremity two enby taking any member of a family as a sub- was one Alexander Richmond, a baker's ap- larged hooks, or jaws. Armed with this apstitute for a fugitive criminal. The Thlin- prentice. He is described as a wild and paratus, which can be folded up on the face keet Indians, if they could not kill the actual daring lad, and a ringleader in all the after the fashion of a "mask," the young murderer, killed one of his tribe or family riotings of the period. On the night of dragon-fly crawls, an apparently innocentinstead. "An Indians," says Kane, "in Porteous's execution his father, a nurseryman looking being, over the floor of its native taking revenge for the death of a relative, at Foulbriggs, near the West Port, sent him pool-for it is strictly a water-living animal does not, in all cases, seek the actual offen- early to bed, and carried off his clothes as an in its early life. When, however, any under; as, should the party be one of his own effectual hindrance to his sharing in the wary co-tenant of the waters approaches tribe, any relative will do, however distant." threatened violence. But he got hold of his the larva, the "mask" is literally as well Cathin tells the story how, when a great Sioux sister's clothes, and in that guise joined the as figuratively thrown off, and the jaws warrior, the Little Bear, bad been shot by mob, and took a leading part in breaking seize the victim and securely retain it. Bethe Dog, the avengers of the former caught into the Tolbooth. The story is completed sides its power of erawling over the bottom and slew the Dog's brother, whom everyone by assigning to him the Quixotic display of of its pool, the young dragon-fly may leap esteemed highly, because they failed to over- virtue-so improbable in his case-of throw- or propel itself forwards in the water by a take the Dog. If a Californian criminal ing down a half-guinea on the counter from curious contrivance, which reminds one of escaped to a sacred refuge, he was regarded which he carried off the coil of rope with the mode in which the cuttle-fishes move. as a coward, in that he diverted to a relation which Porteous was hanged from the dyer's From the hinder extremity of its body, and a punishment he deserved himself. In Samoa, pole. Such a display of punctilious sensitive. from a kind of chamber within which the not only the murderer, but all his belongings | ness as either the guinea or half-guinea | breathing-organs-half gills, half air-tubes would fly to another village as a city of re- deposit implies excited the unbounded ridicule | -- are contained, the water, from which the fuge, for in Samoian law a plaintiff might of Mr. Sharpe as applicable to an ordinary necessary air has been taken, can be forcibly seek redress from "the brother, son, or other Edinburgh mob. Even if beset with the ejected: and through the reaction of this relative of the guilty party." In the Fiji whim of maintaining a character for honesty, jet d'eau on the surrounding water, the Islands, a warrior once left his musket in who among such a rabble had a guinea to young insect is propelled rapidly forwards. such a position that it went off and killed to spare? more likely a pund Scots, or twal' From "Science for All" for February. two persons. The owner of the musket was pennies sterling!"-Reminiscences of Old condemned to death, but, as he fled away, Edinburgh. By Daniel Wilson. his father was taken; and the strangulation of the latter perfectly satisfied the ends of justice. - Gentleman's Magazine.

CONSTANTINOPLE ight times since its foundation. The first being attempted at Vienna, where some of siege according to an article in the Fremden the principal ladies of the Court recently blatt, was in the year 477 n.c., when Pausa organised a ball at which short costumes nine marched to the town after the battle of were compulsory, Extravaguace being an-Platen. In 410 n.c., it was besieged by Alci- other object of reform, all the toilettes were biades; in 347 by Leo, general to Philip of of calico, and the ball proved the most suc Macedon; in 197 Am., by Septimius Severus; cessful of the season. Calico balls are familiar in 313 by the Emporor Maximus; in 315 by features in England, but the innovation of Constantine the Great; in 616 by Chosroos short drosses for dancing might well be inof Persia; in 626 by the chief of the Avars; troduced into our ball-rooms, where the abin 656 by Moavia, general to the Arab Prince surdly long trains of the present day are Ali; in 669 by Tesid, his son; in 674 by damaging alike to temper, comfort, and Sofia Ben Anf. in 719 by the two sons of the pocket. Caliph Morvan; in 744 by Soliman, son of King of the Bulgarians; in 786 by Haroun al Raschid; in 798 by Abdul Melek; in 811 by Hrumus, despot of the Slavonians; in 820 by Thomas the Slavonian; in 886 by the Russian Varangians, under Ascold and Diz in 914 by Simcon, King of the Bulgarians; in 1048 by Tormidus, the rebel; in 1081 by Alexius Comnenus; in 1204 by the Crusaders in 1261 by Michael Palgeologus; in 1396 by Bajazet; in 1402 by the same; in 1414 by his son, Musa; in 1422 by Murad II., son Mohammed I.: and in 1453 by Mohammed II., who captured Constantinople on the 29th of May in that year.

A DANGEROUS VISITOR. I peeped into the nursery one day, to see if the baby was asleep, and could not imagine what was pressing so hard against the door, preventing my opening it. I determined to see, and lo ! round the edge darted the head figures in the Sistine Chapel. It was until with a grin of modest pride, "Him dead now, else. The knowt has ceased to exist in Inkosacasa," and hit it several cuts with my Russia. Evon in the navy." I added, "which "Rime" of Michael Angelo, exactly as he having dared to invade the nursery and to tails in the navy of England! Is it not so?" is what Mr. Symonds has taken as the basis and anxious to examine the dead snake, now emancipation of the serfs," said I. "Russia about with fear and suspicion after that for long enough for such a reform to reach the finding a warm quiet corner to hybernate in. Lady. There is now a strict search instituted into all recesses, into cupboards, behind curtains, and especially into boots; but although several snakes have been soon and killed quite close to the house, I am bound to say this is the only one which has come indoors .- A Year's itself, there are very marked variations to be Housekeeping in Africa. By Lady Barker. THE PORTEOUS MOB.

many old person I have heard that people of example of this process; and when we comhigh rank were concerned in the affair. My pare the life-history of such an insect as a great-grandfather, Lord Alva, told my grand- dragon-fly or May-fly with that of the butfather that many of the mob were persons of terfly, we may readily discern differences of rank, some of them disguised as women- a very marked kind to exist between the two Lord Haddington for one, in his cook-maid's cases. From the egg of the dragon-fly comes dress. I have been told that my great forth anactive, long-bodied creature, that pregrandfather, Sir Thomas Kirkpatrick, had a sents a close enough resemblance to a caterhand in it, as other people of quality unques- pillar to enable us to regard it as the larval tionably had. I have often since suspected, form of the "tyrant of the pool." As in the from words let fall by my grandfather, and case of the butterfly's progeny, there is in this cared to tell. The upper ranks of society in the dragon-fly's young : whilst in its habits wholly unknown now. On this head I could similitude of its parent. It possesses, howmention many things scarcely to be believed." ever, six legs attached to the chest-region; familiar tradition that a guinea was left in great size; and the furnishings of its In the same way as, till lately, English law the booth of the West Bow from whence the mouth are still more characteristic. For

LADY BLESSINGTON'S BOUDOIR. The Blessingtons lived for some time in had but just arrived in our smoky capital Paris in the earlier part of their life, and in waited upon Comte d'Orsay to implore him upon the sandy plains outside the provincial boudoir. The picture is one that should be The Count remained for some minutes silent, town. For half a real, or a real, you can studied by everyone connected with the arts while the poor Frenchman begged him to. enter and see two hours of rough acting, employed in decorative furnishing: "The have pity upon a fellow countryman; but at Of course, all is rude and rough; but the whole fitting up," she says, "is in exquisite length, raising his eyes, he said, pointing to women who act are pretty, the provincial taste, and as usual when my most gallant of a bag the fellow held in his hand, "What songs wild and plaintive, and now and then, all gallant husbands that it ever fell to the bave you there, mon ami?" "A coat, M. le town in the province of Murcia, and the last tured that every feather is in alto-relieve, you have in the bag, but I want to know two acts of the play were singularly instruct and looks as fleecy as those of the living bird. about the bag itself. Have you much of fortune he can only read over to himself, in curtains, lined with white, are hung, which, making bags." "Well," said the great Alsolitude, his banking-book, and count up his when drawn, conceal the recess altogether. fred, with the smile of a man who sees his gains. While he is sitting, adding up his A silvered sofa has been made to fit the side way to an Austerlitz, "make me a pair of image of a skeleton, in fact; the skeleton which stands a most inviting bergere. An here to morrow punctually at four." But being beautifully represented by a man with escritoire occupies one panel, a bookstand the M. le Comte-" "J'ai dit," said the dandy, -skull mask, black tight clad body, and other, and a rich coffer for jewels forms a waving his hand; "now go, and remember to ribs of grey stuffed silk, which, on the black pendant to a similar one for lace or India be punctual." On the following day at four ground, with torchlight; gave him exactly shawls. A carpet of uncut pile, of a pale the coarse canvas trousers were at the Comte's the appearance of a skeleton—comes to his blue, a silver lamp, and a Psyche glass; the lodgings, and at five he lounged into Crock-back, and gives him one grip. He drops ornaments silvered, to correspond with the ford's with this extraordinary covering the banking-book, shudders, and turns round; decorations of the chamber, complete the encasing his prefect legs. The first person lithesome as a snake, the skeleton figure furniture. The bangings of the dressing he met on the staircase was Lord Chestorfield. has gone. The old Jew goes into £. i. d. room are of blue silk, covered with lace, and "Gad, D'Orsay," exclaimed that excitable again. Just as he becomes immersed in his trimmed with frills of the same material, as nobleman, stooping down and catching hold him round the waist, and holds him in his and the carpet and lamp are similar to out any ceremony, "that's wonderful stuff! grasp; then glides away, and so on, each those of the bed. A toilet table stands Never saw it before! Gad, it looks well! It's successive visit being more severe than the before the window, and small jurdinieres are something you've invented, I suppose, and last. "I've got, then, £20,000, in the bank, placed in front of each panel of looking-glass, one can't get it?" "Oh, yes, you can!" and no wife, and no discarded mistress, to but so low as not to impede a full view of laughed D'Orsay. "It's not difficult to get; his bride, comes forward and says: "De level. On the ceiling over is a painting of the tailor?" The Count, who passed his life

housemen and Dropers Journal.

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SHORT DRESSES FOR DANGING. Constantinople has been besieged twenty- Reform in the length of ladies dresses is

the Caliph Abdul Melek; in 764 by Paganos, MR. LIONEL TENNYSON'S WEDDING. Grey Shirtings, 7 lbs., per piece The marriage of Mr. Lionel Tennyson, son Grey Shirtings. The marriage of Mr. Lionel Tennyson, son Grey Shirtings, 8 lbs., per place \$2.55 to 2.58 of the port Laurente, with Miss Locker, was Grey Shirtings, 10 lbs., per place \$2.70 to 3.15 golemnised in Westminster Abbey on Thurs-Grey Cloths 24 yds. & 32 in. 6 lbs. p. pe. \$1.15 to 1.30 day morning. The wedding was a choral Grey T-Cloths 24 yds. & 32 in. 6 lbs. p. pe. \$1.40 to 1.80 day morning. The wedding was a choral Grey T-Cloths 24 yds. & 32 in. 7 lbs. p. pe. \$1.40 to 1.80 day morning. The present Dr. Grey T-Cloths 24 yds. & 32 in. 8 lbs. XO p. pe. \$1.50 to 1.95 one, all the abbey choir being present Dr. Grey T-Cloths 24 yds. & 36 in. 8 lbs. XX p. pe. \$1.85 to 1.99 lbs. Was at the organ. The psalm was Grey T-Cloths 24 yds. & 30 in. 8 lbs. XX p. pe. \$1.85 to 1.99 lbs. Was at the organ. The psalm was Grey T-Cloths 24 yds. & 30 in. 8 lbs. XX p. pe. \$1.85 to 1.99 lbs. Was at the organ. The psalm was Grey T-Cloths 24 yds. & 30 in. 8 lbs. XX p. pe. \$1.85 to 1.99 lbs. Was at the organ. The psalm was Grey T-Cloths 24 yds. & 30 in. 8 lbs. XX p. pe. \$1.85 to 1.99 lbs. Was at the organ. The psalm was Grey T-Cloths 24 yds. & 30 in. 8 lbs. XX p. pe. \$1.85 to 1.99 lbs. Was at the organ. The psalm was Grey T-Cloths 24 yds. & 30 in. 8 lbs. XX p. pe. \$1.85 to 1.99 lbs. Was at the organ. chanted to music by Beethoven, while the procession, headed by the choir, moved from the body of the church into the sacrarium. The hymn "Father of Life," to the wellknown music of Turle, was beautifully sung, the effect of the unaccompanied voices being most striking. Dr. Bridge played a selection of organ music both before and after the service, including Sterndale Bennett's Barcarolle from the Fourth Concerto, and, of course, Mendelssohn's "Wedding March."

> SLOW TRAVELLING: The other day a friend mentioned, in the

THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE

DRAGON-FLY. But within the limits of the insect-class noted in the degree of perfection which the metamorphosis may exhibit. The butterfly's development may for all purposes be re-He (Mr. Sharpe) thus writes:—"From garded as presenting us with the most typical still more from hints of my aunt, Lady first stage no likeness to the perfect dragon-Marray, of Clermont, that my grandfather fly The very long, powerful ringe, and the knew more about the whole affair than he slexder, tapering body are not represented then had a strong power over the lower the larva is likewise far removed from the Mr. Sharpe also maintained the truth of the lits large head bears two compound eyes of

CANVAS "TROUS." One day in London a French tailor who A tent during the summer months is pitched describes the splendours of her bedroom and a waistcoat of him his fortune would be made. Mosquito when the tragedy is not engrossed with love happy lot of woman to possess, interferes, Comte, which I am bringing home to my San Lorenzo intrigues, there is a certain amount of wild no expense has been spared. The bed, which only customer. If M. le Comte would only S. Nicholson eleverness exhibited. I went in the heat of is silvered instead of gilt, rests on the backs allow me to show it him _____" Bah!" re- Sumstra. last autumn, to the open-air theatre near a of two large silver swans, so exquisitely sculp- plied D'Orsay. "I don't want to know what market tive and good. These were skeleton pays! An The recess in which it is placed is lined with the stuff of which that bag is made?" "Much Titan old rascal, by cheating and other means, gets | white-fluted silk, bordered with blue em. of the stuff | Mon Dieu, M. le Comte, I can | Vesta means have become rich, he cannot enjoy his port the frieze of the recess, pale blue silk common quality of canvas, and used only for Wega "sum total in hand," a figure, Death—an of the room opposite the fireplace, near to trousers of that stuff, and bring them to me Brama study, the skeleton glides up to him, seizes are also the dressing stands and chaise langue, of the young Frenchman by the knee, with- Spark take it out of my grasp; and ten "-the the person dressing in this beautiful little and very cheap. I don't know that it's very Blankenese skeleton pins him; saying the single word sanctuary. The salle de bain—bathroom—pretty to look at, but the stuff hangs well, and Hermann "Death!" and the hoary old ruscal's teeth is draped with white muslin, trimmed with does admirably for riding." "For riding! H. Bremer chatter in his head. The applause is great lace; and the sofa and the bergers are covered By Jove, I should think so The very Marie Louise greater still when he dies, and his heir, a with the same. The bath is of marbie, in thing!" exclaimed Lord Chesterfield. "If Palma gentle-faced youth, with a delicate girl for serted in the floor, with which its surface is it's no secret, will you give me the address of Wega mortule nil nisi bogum : but I and Francisca Flore, scattering flowers with one hand, in doing exte of kindness, gave the address, shall give our method for har poor - Asking while from whose description and the fortune of his poor compatriot, the Spanish People. By the Rev. Hugh James ter lamp, in the form of a letter, - Ward, and set all confident washing compact to the spanish People.

on horseback that season,

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Muslins, White, Figured, 24 yds. p. piece \$2.05 to 2.25

Tarkey Red Shirtings, 3 lbs., per piece \$2.30 to 2.35

Valvet Black \$2 inches per yard \$0.18 to 0.10 Elephant's Teeth, 4 to 5 pieces..... Elophant's Teeth, 7 to 8 pieces...... \$200 to 220 Sheathing Metal, per picul... Sandal Wood, Malabar, per picul 13.30 to 3.35 Sandal Wood, South Sem, perpicul\$13.00 to 18.50 \$5.85 to 5.40 Flour, American, per barrel of 200 lbs.,. \$6.95 to 7.20 Sapan Wood, Manile, per picul...... \$1,60 to 2.00 Tin, Plates, per box..... \$38.50 to 89.00 Sapan Wood, Siam, per picul.... , \$0.50 to 0.65 \$0.18 to 0.10 Almonds, per picul. Ginsong, American, lat quality, p. picul. \$200 to .285 Volvet Black, 32 inches, per yard....... \$0.21 to 0.22 Alum, 1st quality, per picul. Volvot, Gontian, 22 inches per yard ... \$1.87 to 1.40 Ginseng, American, 2nd quality, p. picul. \$160 to 210 Sugar, Shek lung, White, No. 1, p. pol. ... \$6.70 to 6.80 \$0.21 to 0.22 Alum, 2nd quality per pioul. \$0.83 to 1.10 Hame, Ordinary, per picul elvotoens, Black, per yard . Tis. 18.0.0 to 13.5.0 Sugar, Shek-lung, White, No. 2, p. pcl. ... \$6.10 to ... 6.30 \$0.28 to 0.29 Volveteens, Gentian, per yard Tla.21.0.0 to 215.0 Sugar, Shot lung, Brown, per picul 18,90 to 4.05 Bark, Siam, per picul...... White Shirtings, 54 to 60 reed, per piece \$1.95 to 2.10 | Bark, Camphor, per picul White Shirtings, 64 to 66 reed, per piece \$2.25 to 2.40 | Beche de Mer, per picul 210 50 to 12 00 Sugar Candy, Shaveling, per picul\$10.40 to 11.00 Sugar Candy, Poochow, per picul........ Homp, Siam, per picul......... .\$36.00 to 45.00 Sugar Candy, Swatow, White, per pical. \$6.85 to 7.15 White Shirtings, 63 to 80 reed, per piece \$2.60 to 3.15 | Bees Wax, Japan, White, per picul.... White Shirtings, 600 reed, per piece \$3.50 to 3.55 | Bees Wax, Hankow, Yellow, per picul. White Shirtings, 600 reed, per piece..... White Shirtings, 7,000 reed, per piece... \$4.90 to 6.30 Tea Oil, per picul \$3.25 to 3.30 | Bees Wax, White, per picul. \$65.50 to 65.70 Melon Seeds, 1st quality, per picul \$4.20 to 4.50 Vermicelli, Tientein, per picul \$8.60 to . 9.50 \$3,200 to 4,000 Molon Seeds, 2nd quality, per pioul. \$1:65 to 1.70 Rirds' Nests, 1st quality, per picul.....\$2 \$5.90 to 5.95 Birds' Nests, 2nd quality, por picul..... Walnuts, per picul \$650 to 560 \$48.00 to 58.00 Mushrooms, per picul \$1.80 to 1.90 Wheat, Tientein, por picul...... \$4.25 to 4.30 Birds! Nests, 3rd quality, per picul \$170 to .250 White Shirtings, MH, per piece \$6.10 to 6.15 | Brimstone, per picul. \$2.45 to 2.50 | Buffalo Hides, Manila

White Brocodes, per piece \$2.50 to 2.65 Buffalo Cow Hides. \$6.90 to 8.05 Mussels, Pry Siam small, per pieul. \$7.95 to 8.25 Window Glass, per box. \$2.55 Window Glass, per box. \$2.55 Window Glass, per box. \$2.55 Window Glass, per box.											22.05 10 2.00			
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